

**Amendments to the Claims:**

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Currently Amended) A recycling analyzing system which analyzes disassembly of an item to be recycled, comprising:

a standard operation time memory which stores standard time for disassembling operation of each component beforehand;

an operation time memory which stores time for disassembling operation of each component to be disassembled;

an operation time ~~counting~~ measuring unit which ~~counts~~ measures the time for disassembling operation of each component which constitutes the item to be recycled, and stores the time for disassembling operation in the operation time memory; and

a difficult operation extracting unit which refers to the standard time for disassembling operation stored in the standard operation time memory, and the time for disassembling operation of each component stored in the operation time memory, and extracts disassembling operation which is difficult.

2. (Original) The recycling analyzing system according to Claim 1, wherein the difficult operation extracting unit extracts the disassembling operation of each component which is difficult, based on a comparison between the standard time for disassembling operation and the time for disassembling operation.

3. (Currently Amended) A recycling analyzing method which analyzes disassembly of an item to be recycled, comprising:

an operation time ~~counting~~ measuring step for ~~counting~~ measuring time for disassembling operation of each component which constitutes an item to be recycled; and

a difficult operation extracting step for referring to standard time stored beforehand, and ~~the~~ time for disassembling operation of the each component, and extracting disassembling operation which is difficult.

4. (Currently Amended) ~~A recycling analyzing~~ A computer readable media encoded with a program which analyzes disassembly of an item to be recycled, and allows a computer to execute:

an operation time ~~counting~~ measuring process for ~~counting~~ measuring time for disassembling operation of each component which constitutes an item to be recycled; and

a difficult operation extracting process for referring to standard time stored beforehand, and ~~the~~ time for disassembling operation of the each component, and extracting disassembling operation which is difficult.